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of Myeloma Bone Disease

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
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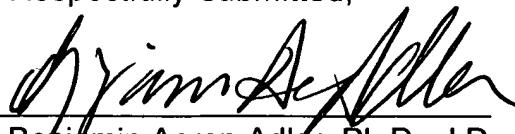
Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the Office Action, mailed November 19, 2007 for the above-referenced patent application be extended for three (3) months to and including May 19, 2008. Please charge the \$525 extension fee or any additional fees to the credit card identified on the Form PTO-2038. In the absence of this form, please debit the petition fee or any other fees due from Deposit Account 07-1185.

I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8 that the Response to the Office Action, Petition for Extension of Time and Form PTO-2038 are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to MS NON-FEE AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Please return the enclosed postcard acknowledging receipt of this correspondence.

Respectfully submitted,

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